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For: ARIPIRAZOLE CRYSTALLINE FORMS

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated September 12, 2007, setting forth a requirement for restriction, Applicant elects **without traverse**, Group II, claims 4 - 5, 8 and 10, drawn to crystalline aripiprazole methanolate and process of preparing.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.